



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Takashi NAGASE et. al.

Title: METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING NANO-GAP
ELECTRODE

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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (27 pages).
- ☒ Transmittal of Formal Drawings (1 page) and Formal drawings (5 sheets, Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5).
- ☐ Assignment of the invention to Communications Research Laboratory, Independent Administrative Institution.
- ☐ Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
- ☐ Small Entity statement.
- ☐ Request for application not to be published with certification under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☒ Form PTO/SB/08 with copies of 3 listed reference(s).
- ☒ Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).
- ☒ Claim for Convention Priority and Certified copy of Priority Document.

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- [] A check in the amount of \$1,018.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- [X] The required filing fees are not enclosed but will be submitted in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

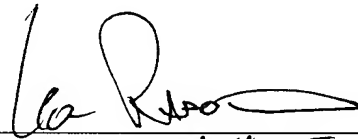
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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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ATTENTION: DRAWING REVIEW BRANCH

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the formal drawings (5 sheets, Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5) for the above-identified application. The Official Draftsperson is respectfully requested to approve these drawings for entry into the application.

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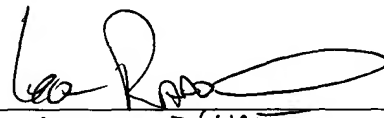
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